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In re application of

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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
SAFEGUARDING ELECTRONIC
EQUIPMENT FROM THEFT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee, please amend
the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 3 as follows:

--3. (amended) An apparatus according to claim 1,
characterised by housing sensor means (400) sensing if the
housing is (unauthorised opened), whereby the housing sensor
means (200) is adapted to transmit an indication to the micro-
controller (100) when the housing is opened.

Amend claim 4 as follows:

--4. (amended) An apparatus according to claim 1,
characterised by electronic equipment sensing means (400)
sensing unauthorised disconnection of at least one component
of the electronic equipment (701-709), whereby the electronic
equipment (100) is adapted to send a warning signal to the